

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

FRANK MENSAH,

Plaintiff,

vs.

RENT-A-CENTER, INC.,

Defendant.

TAJI GLASS, et al.

Plaintiffs,

vs.

RENT A CENTER,

Defendant.

ORDER

8:03CV80

8:04CV199

This matter is before the court on the plaintiff's motion to extend (Filing No. 86 in 8:03CV80) and the joint motion for extension of time (Filing No. 101 in 8:04CV199). The defendant has notified the court that it has no objection to an extension of time. Upon consideration,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. The plaintiff's motion to extend (Filing No. 86 in 8:03CV80) and the joint motion for extension of time (Filing No. 101 in 8:04CV199) are granted.

2. Counsel for the parties shall confer on a reasonable amount to be awarded and, if there is agreement, shall file **on or before July 22, 2005**, a stipulation of the costs and fees to be awarded. In the event the parties fail to reach an agreement, the defendant may file **on or before July 22, 2005**, an application for the award of the costs and fees accompanied by an affidavit of such costs and fees, pursuant to NECivR 54.3 and 54.4. The plaintiff, Frank Mensah, shall have **until on or before August 5, 2005**, to respond to the defendant's application. Thereafter, the issue of costs and sanctions will be deemed submitted and a written order entered.

DATED this 12th day of July, 2005.

BY THE COURT:

s/Thomas D. Thalken
United States Magistrate Judge